

# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

June 24, 2015



The Washington, Vegetation Fire, near Markleeville, Alpine County.

Photo Credit: Alpine County Sheriff



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## National Terrorism Advisory System Current Alerts



Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## NORTHERN OPERATIONS FIRES

### Saddle, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: 4 miles Northwest of Hyampom, Shasta-Trinity Forest

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 06/24/15 at 0540 hours:

- 1,542 acres, 93% contained
- No structure threat
- No further spread anticipated
- Continued mop-up and suppression repair. Substantial demobilization continues
- Resources: 19 personnel assigned

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## NORTHERN OPERATIONS FIRES

### Washington, Vegetation Fire, Alpine County

Location: Near Silver Peak, south of Markleeville in Alpine County.

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA (Humboldt Toiyabe NF, NV-HTF-030251)

Per CAL FIRE and Cal OES Fire Duty Officer, and ICS-209 as of 06/23/15 at 2007 hours:

- 16,543 acres, 5% contained
- Meadows above approximately 7,500 feet in elevation are not receptive to fire spread.
- Active burning with short crown runs
- Estimated containment date: 07/05/2015
- Base Camp is located at the Diamond Valley School, Markleeville.
- Two Local Government Strike Teams are on scene as of 06/21/15.
- Fire has potential to approach Markleeville, additional threat to wildlife habitats
- Resources: 681

### **Structure Threats**

- 250 single residences are threatened
- 1 single residence has been destroyed

### **Activations**

- Alpine County has partially activated their EOC in support of the Washington Fire. Cal OES Inland Region is closely monitoring in the event the IREOC needs to be activated.

### **Deployments**

- A Cal OES Fire Assistant Chief is on scene at the Incident.
- A Cal OES Law Deputy Chief will be on site 06/22/15 to meet with Sherriff's personnel and provide support.
- A Cal OES Inland Region ESC is on scene at the incident

**Washington, Vegetation Fire, Alpine County****Evacuations/Shelters**

- Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer, Region IV RMAC for Law Enforcement (Sacramento County Sheriff's Department) has been alerted in the event mutual aid is needed and Alpine SO is aware of this and how to make the request.
- Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer, there are no evacuation orders for this fire at this time, with the exception of the campgrounds along the road closures, which have been evacuated. **There are still no mandatory evacuations and priority is still keeping the fire from reaching Markleeville. The fire's progress toward Markleeville has been slowed due in part to good weather. The Alpine County Sheriff's Office has not requested mutual aid but a contingency evacuation plan for the 150 residents has been put in place. In the event Markleeville requires evacuations, the Alpine County Sheriff will direct LEMA resources respond to the Alpine County SO station in Markleeville. El Dorado County SO has already committed to providing mutual aid if needed. The Sacramento County Sheriff's Dept., as the Region IV RMAC, has been advised.**
- ACSO has evacuated the following areas: Carson River Resort, Silver Creek Campground and area's below, including Centerville Flat, Wolfcreek Meadows, Hwy 4 along the East Fork of the Carson River and other dispersed campgrounds.
- Alpine SO did a precautionary notification of the Monitor Pass area.
- Per the Cal OES Inland Region Duty Officer, there are no open shelters. A shelter site has been identified if needed.

**Road Closures**

- Alpine Sherriff's Office advises the Fire has jumped Hwy 4.
- Per the Department of Transportation, State Route (SR) 4 is closed from Ebbetts Pass to the Junction of SR 89.
- SR 89 is closed from the Jct. of US 395 to Laramie St. in Markleeville.

**Medical/Health**

- There is currently one impacted CDSS community care licensed facility, ROP Qualifying House Freel, 20545 State Route 89, Markleeville. Affected population: 3
- Per National Weather Service Reno: Plume forecasts for the Washington Fire indicate smoke moving east/northeast through this evening before smoke settles into the valleys overnight. Communities near the fire and downstream such as Smith Valley, Yerington, and Fallon are most likely to be impacted with reduced air quality today. Assuming continued fire activity Tuesday, winds will be light becoming northeast by the late afternoon, taking the smoke slowly west into California. Winds are forecast to remain easterly Wednesday and Thursday as well, though there may be brief periods where westerly afternoon winds will kick in and bring some smoke back into western Nevada.

**Infrastructure/Utilities**

- Per CUEA no threat to the power grid or transmission lines. CUEA will monitor.

**Missions**

- **2015-Inland-13708**, Request for (1) Air Monitor to Alpine County.
- **2015-SREOC-13728**: Request for (1) Air monitor to northern Mono County

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## SOUTHERN OPERATIONS FIRES

### Corrine, Vegetation Fire, Madera County

Location: Rd 222 x Tunoi Place, North Fork area Madera County

Jurisdiction: SRA

Start Time: 06/18/15 at 2103 hours

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 06/23/15 at 1800 hours:

- 920 acres, 95% contained
- Continue to hold and improve containment line, mop-up, fire suppression repair
- Structure Threat: Structure threats have been mitigated. 3 outbuildings destroyed.
- Evacuations: Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer (LDO), all evacuations have been lifted.
- Anticipated Containment: 06/24/15
- The four Public Safety Communications Technicians assigned to the incident have been demobilized
- All local government fire equipment resources have been released from the Corrine incident as well as the OES Fire Assistant Chief and Support unit
- Continue demobilization of excess resources
- Resources: 90 personnel assigned

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## SOUTHERN OPERATIONS FIRES

### Sky, Vegetation Fire, Madera County

Location: Near community of Calvin Crest, Madera County

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 06/18/15 at 1431 hours

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 06/24/15 at 0515 hours:

- 500 acres, 95% contained
- **No Structure Threat**
- Continue mop-up and begin fire suppression repair
- Evacuations: Evacuations have been lifted.
- Shelters:
  - Red Cross has closed the shelter at Sierra Vista Presbyterian Church, 39696 Highway 41, Oakhurst. **Converted to an evacuation center after shelter closure, the Cal OES IDO on 06/23/15 at 1649 hours, reports that the evacuation center is now closed.**
- Anticipated Containment: 06/23/15
- **All remaining local government equipment resources, two Cal OES Fire Assistant Chief's and Support Unit are currently being demobilized**
- Resources: 321 personnel assigned

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## SOUTHERN OPERATIONS FIRES

### Lake, Vegetation Fire, San Bernardino County

Location of Incident: Jenks Lake, Hwy 38, Barton Flats area

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 06/17/15 at 1600 hours

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 06/24/15 at 0714 hours:

- 18,875 acres, 38% contained
- Type 2 IC
- Structure Threat: 500 single residences and 500 mixed commercial/residences threatened
- Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was submitted on 06/18/15 at 0637 hours and after review by Cal OES, does not currently meet FMAG criteria and is on hold at this time.
- The Incident Command Post (ICP) is located at Big Bear High School.
- Establishing Spike Camps to support suppression activities in remote areas.
- Four local government Strike Teams were released on 06/23/15 (Includes one Strike Team of OES engines).
- Resources: 1922 personnel assigned

### **Activations**

- San Bernardino OA EOC is activated at Level 1 (Duty Officer status).
- The Southern Region San Bernardino County Territory Representative is deployed to the San Bernardino County OA EOC from 0700-1900 hours.
- Cal OES Southern Region Emergency Operations Center (SREOC) remains activated at Level I and is operating at Duty Officer Status. After hours requests are coordinated by the SDO.
- Per the Cal OES SDO: The California Disaster Corps has been activated as well as the Big Bear Valley, Mountain, Angelus Oaks, and Mill Creek Canyon Community Emergency Response Teams (CERT's) and are providing ongoing logistical support; Big Bear Valley responded on 06/20/15 and Mountain responded 06/21/15 and are providing logistical support. Morongo Basin CERT responded 06/21/15 and is providing firefighter rehab to strike teams staging at Pioneertown.

### **Deployments**

- A Cal OES Fire Division Assistant Chief is on scene at the ICP.



# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **SOUTHERN OPERATIONS FIRES**

### **Lake, Vegetation Fire, San Bernardino County**

#### **Evacuations/Shelters**

- Per Cal OES Law Duty Officer (LDO): All camps within the evacuation zone will remain closed until further notice. Evacuations remain in effect for all areas east of Angelus Oaks including: Barton Flats, Seven Oaks, Rainbow Lane, Heart Bar, and all cabins and campgrounds in the South Fork area. Authorities are evaluating the evacuated area and looking at possible repopulation in the next day or two depending on safety issues. CHP and Cal Trans are evaluating Hwy 38 and will attempt to reopen it in the next couple of days.
- There are two County mass care and shelter trailers available in Mesa and Joshua Tree in case the fire moves toward Pioneer Town and the Morongo Valley.

#### **Medical/Health**

- AQMD has issued a “health advisory” for the smoke, toxic inhalation hazard. AQMD has deployed temporary mobile air quality monitors to better assess air quality and health impacts from smoke.

#### **Road Closures**

- Hard closure on Hwy 38 between Angelus Oaks and Lake Williams
- Jenks Lake Road is closed
- All Hiking Trails into the San Gorgonio Wilderness Area have been closed due to the proximity of the fire to them. The Pacific Crest Trail (PCT) is closed from Whitewater Preserve to Onyx Summit.

#### **Infrastructure/Utilities**

- No major outages at this time. San Bernardino Environmental Health contacted camps to determine if there are any outages.
- Southern California Edison (SCE) Watch Office report there are some unconfirmed reports of damaged poles, however, there are no current impacts to the network.

#### **Critical Infrastructure including Hospital and Medical Facilities**

- None reported at this time.

#### **Emergency Management/Access and Functional Needs**

- There are no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

**Park Hill, Vegetation Fire, San Luis Obispo County**

Location of Incident: Park Hill Rd. and Los Politas Rd., Santa Margarita (approximately 10 miles northwest of San Luis Obispo), San Luis Obispo County

Jurisdiction: SRA

Start Time: 06/20/15 at 1441

Per Cal FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS 209 as of 06/24/15 at 0600 hours:

- 1,800 acres, 95% contained
- Structure Threat: 100 single residences, 8 destroyed single residences, 10 destroyed other minor structures.
- The FMAG submitted to Cal OES has been reviewed and does not currently meet FMAG criteria. It has been placed on hold.
- Majority of resources will be demobilized today, 06/24/15
- Anticipated Containment: 06/26/15
- Incident will transition to back to local unit from XSL County Type III IMT at 0800 hours today, 06/24/15
- All remaining local government equipment resources have been released
- Resources: 405

**Activations**

- San Luis Obispo County EOC is activated at Level 1 (Duty Officer Status).

**Deployments**

- The Cal OES Fire Division Chief has been released.

**Evacuations/Shelters**

- Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer (LDO):
  - Evacuation order was lifted as of 1700 hours on 06/21/15. Only residents can return to the area, roads are still closed to non-residents.
- Per the Cal OES Southern Duty Officer (SDO):
  - The American Red Cross shelter at Santa Margarita Elementary School is closed as of 1700 hours on 06/21/15.

**Animal Shelters**

- The Horse Emergency Evacuation Team has set up a shelter location for horses at a private ranch near Atascadero.
  - Population: 6 horses
- The Santa Margarita Ranch can accept smaller animals, such as goats.

**Infrastructure/Utilities**

- Per CUEA, there are no impacts to the State Grid or transmission lines.
- Per the SLO Duty Officer, PG&E is replacing 8 power poles and 1,000 feet of line in the fire area.



# SITUATION SUMMARY

## SOUTHERN OPERATIONS FIRES

### River, Vegetation Fire, Santa Paula, Ventura County - Final

Location: Acacia Way. X Corporation Ct., Santa Paula, Ventura County

Jurisdiction: LRA, with threat to SRA

Per CAL FIRE as of 06/24/15 at 0947 hours:

- 164 acres, 100% contained

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **SPILL: 15-2785, Refugio Beach, Goleta, Santa Barbara County**

- On 05/19/15 at 1243 hours the California State Warning Center received a report from the Santa Barbara County Fire Department indicating that a ¼ mile sheen was observed off of Refugio State Beach, near Goleta, Santa Barbara County.
- The Operation is transitioning from Response to Recovery.
- The Cal OES Santa Barbara Territory Representative will assist in the day to day operations from the Santa Barbara EOC.

## **Refugio Response JIC Info**

Refugio Response Snapshot 06/22/15:

<http://www.refugioresponse.com/go/doc/7258/2523746/>

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought
- [DTF Drought Update for 06/23/15](#) is attached

**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:** [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php)

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Weather of Concern**

Per the National Weather Service Western Region Headquarters, Western Regional Operations Center:

- **The next major heat wave will impact much of northern CA, including the Sierra, beginning 25 Jun and continue through 27 Jun 2015 (regions II-V)**
  - Warmer than normal temperatures will continue beyond Saturday
- **The greatest heat impacts will be found in the Sacramento valley and lower foothills – from Woodland to Shasta Lake & across the East Bay Hills south of Interstate 580**
- **Increasing threat of dry thunderstorms/lightning across the Sierra 26-27 Jun 2015 (regions III-V)**
  - Dry thunderstorms/lightning - Strong outflow winds/increased fire danger
- **Transition to wet thunderstorms across the Sierra 28-29 Jun 2015 (regions III-V)**
  - Wet thunderstorms - Increased risk of flash flooding & debris flows
- **The summer monsoon is expected to begin across the southern CA mountains and deserts beginning 27 Jun and continue through at least 30 Jun 2015 (regions I and VI)**
  - Thunderstorms - Strong damaging winds/blowing dust
  - Thunderstorms - possible flash flooding/debris flows

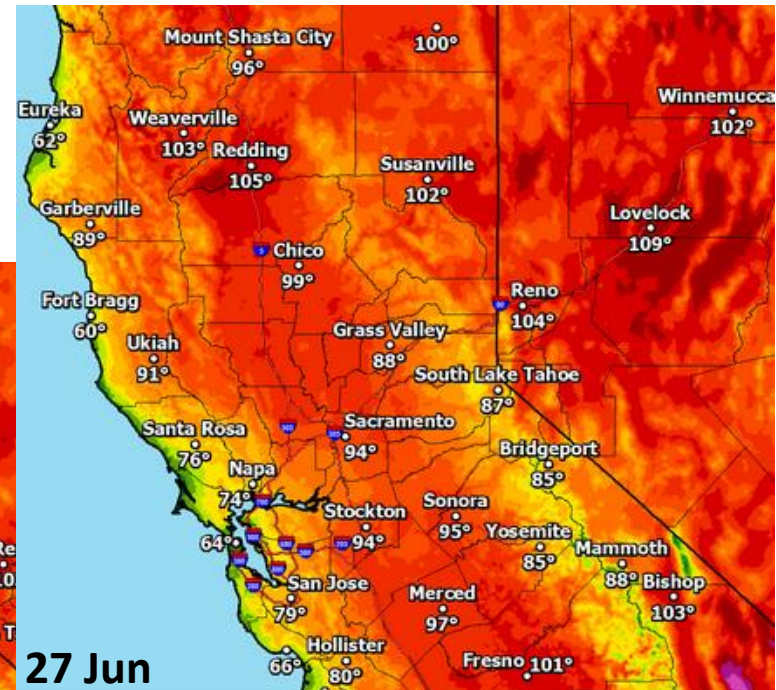
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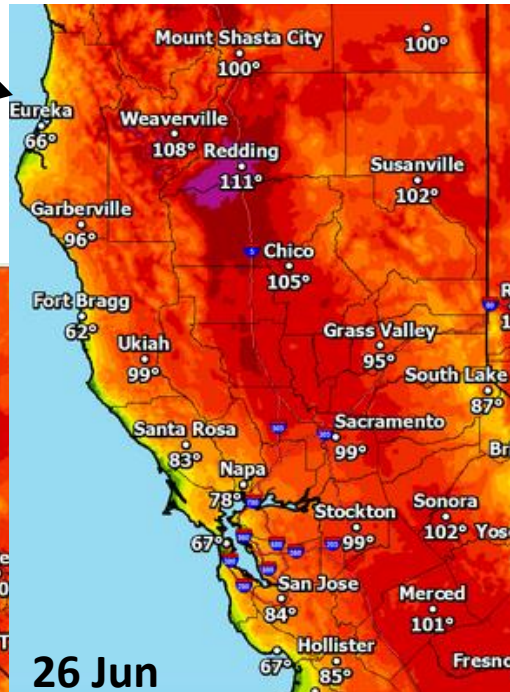
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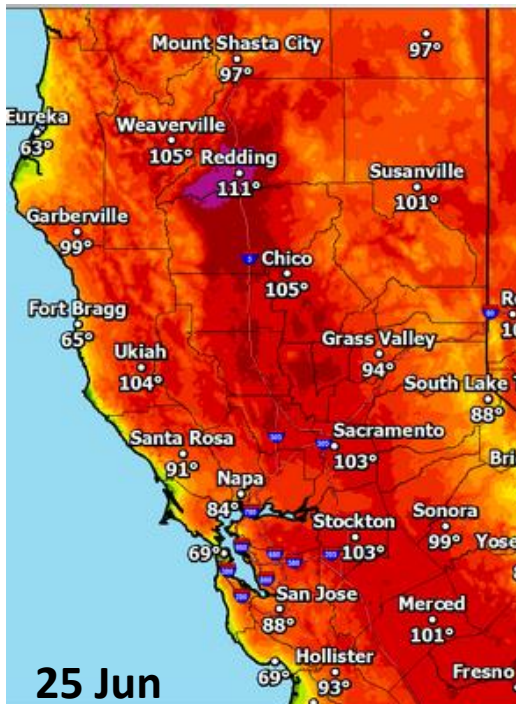
- Peak of prolonged heat event



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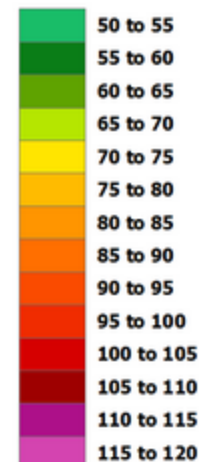


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- Several locations above 105°F



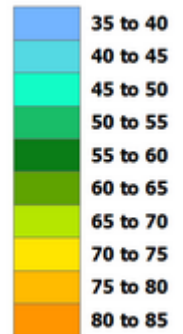
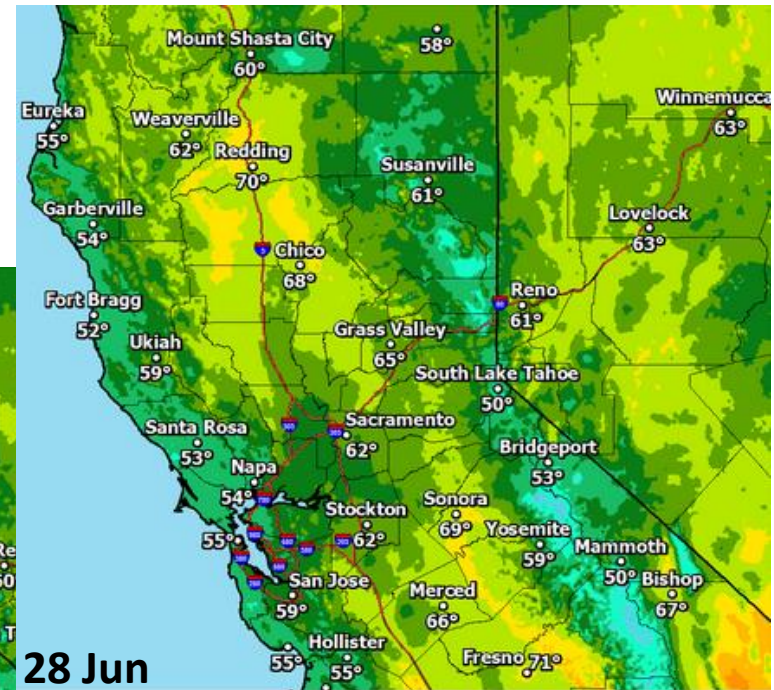
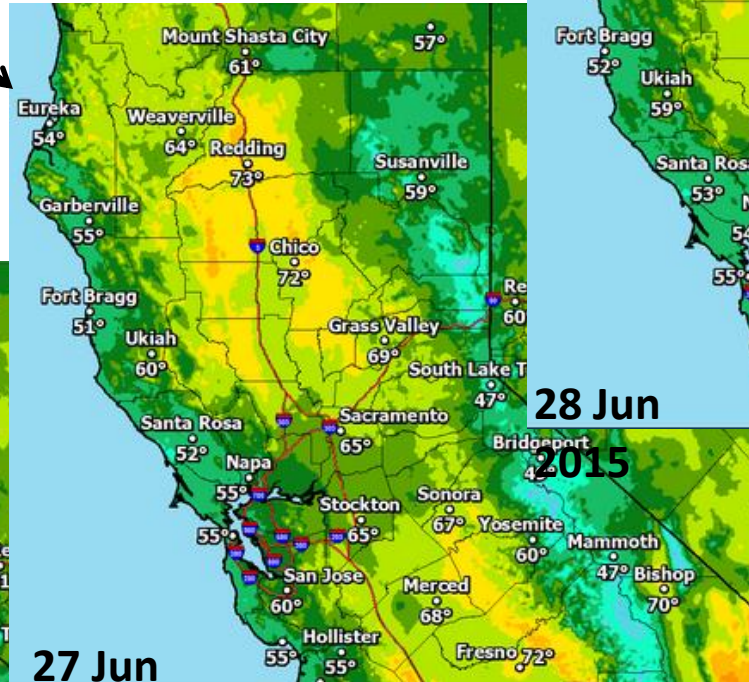
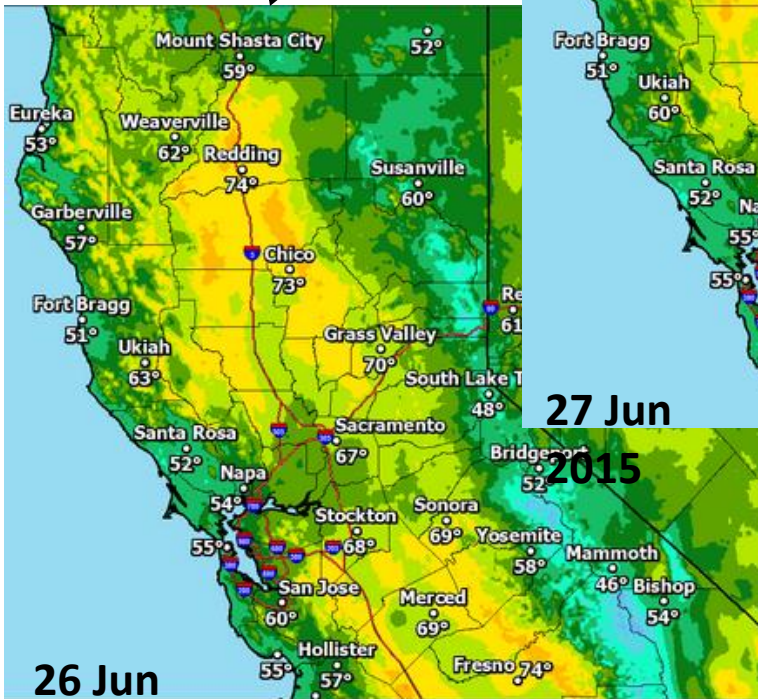
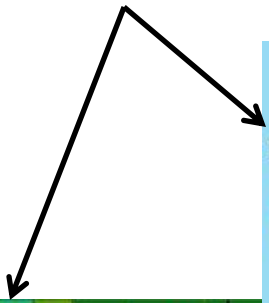
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# 3-Day Low Temperature Forecast

Valid Fri 26 – Sun 28 Jun 2015

- Warmest overnights



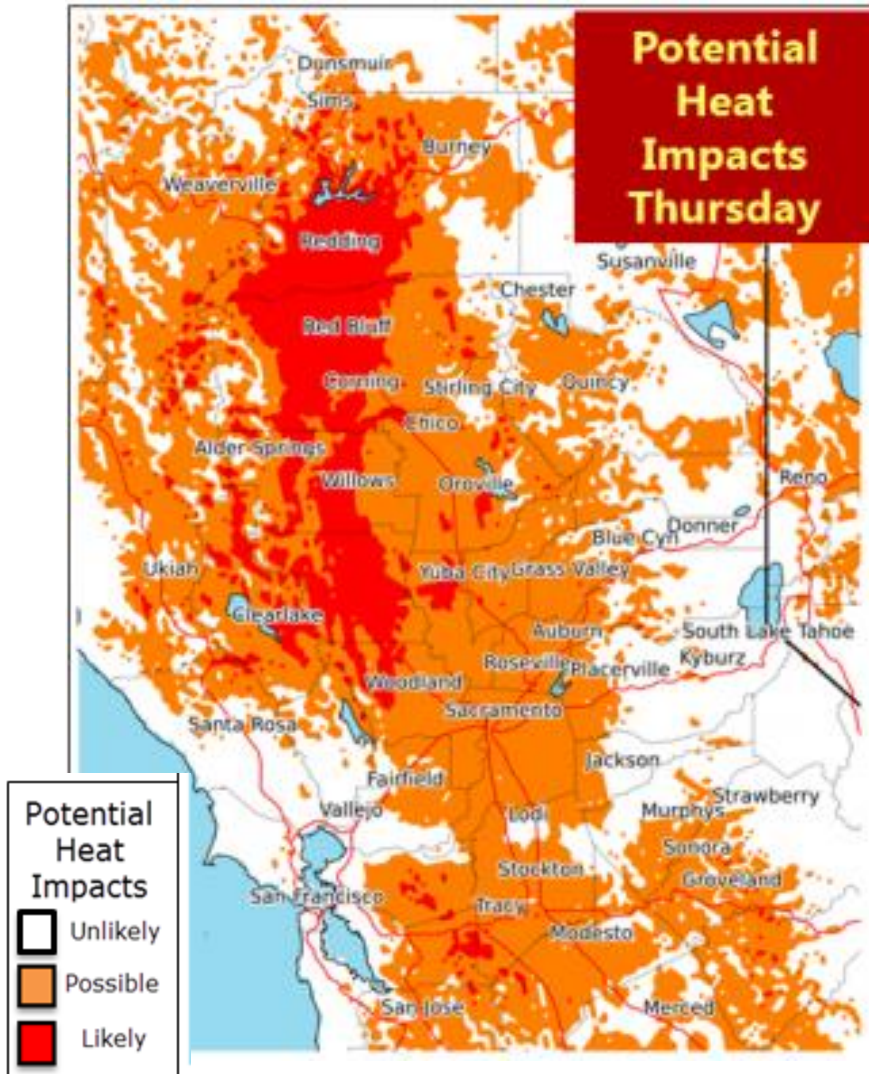
- Some valley locations never fall below 75°F



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# Heat Impacts Forecast

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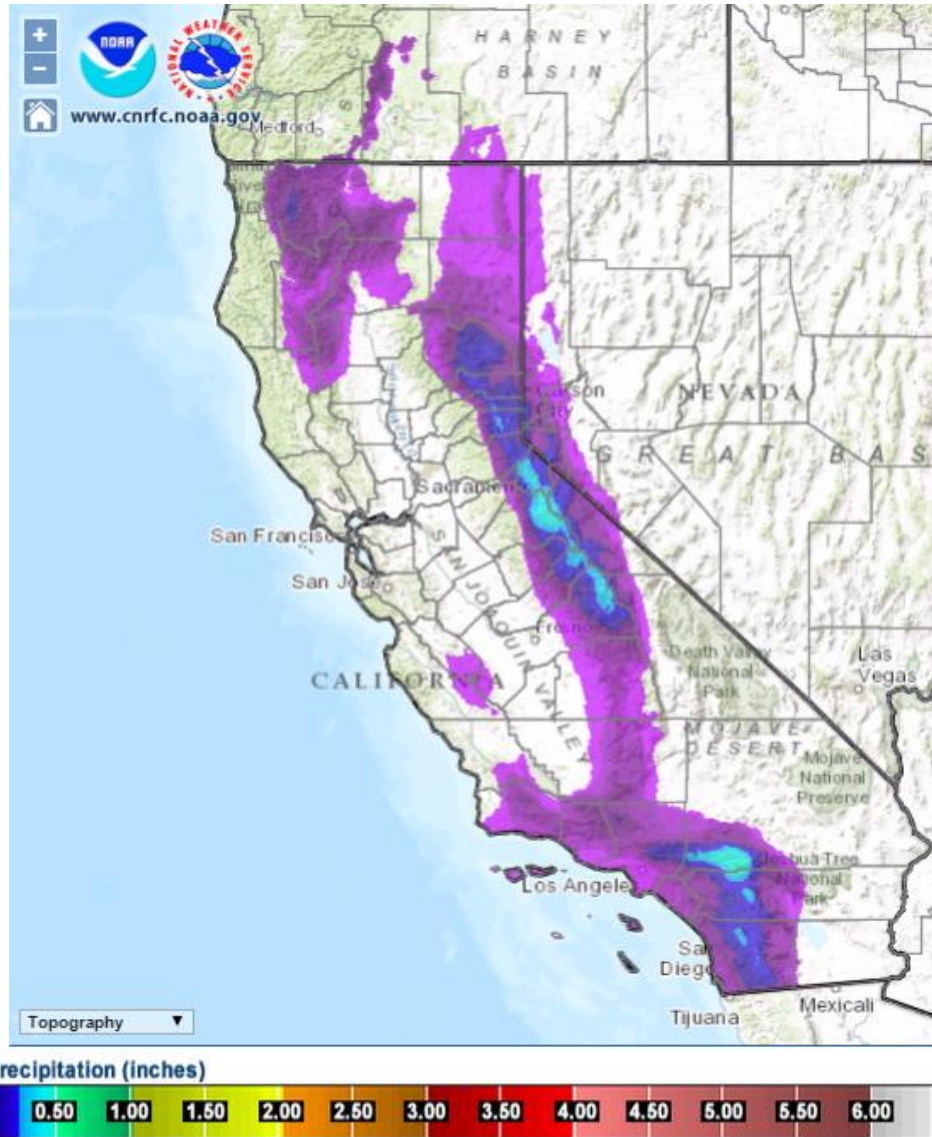


- **Likely impacts in the Sacramento valley and lower foothills**
  - Woodland to Shasta Lake
  - Across the East Bay Hills south of Interstate 580
- **Possible impacts across much of the remainder of northern CA**
  - Does not include the immediate San Francisco Bay Area



# 5-Day Precipitation Forecast

Valid Wed 5am PDT 24 Jun 2015 – Tue 5am PDT 30 Jun 2015



- Scattered mainly mountain and desert thunderstorms
- Amounts generally less than half an inch
- Local amounts in excess of 3 inches in heavier/most intense storms

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:**

#### **Eureka Weather:**

A building ridge of high pressure will result in warming temperatures across interior northwest California through the end of the week. Stratus will continue to affect coastal areas each night and morning. An upper level low off the central California coast will bring the potential for thunderstorms Friday into this weekend over the interior.

#### **Medford Weather:**

Southern Oregon and northern California will have an unusually long period of hot weather from Thursday into next week with a slight chance to chance of thunderstorms from Friday into next week. The forecast of the region will remain relatively unchanged into the middle of next week.

#### **Reno Weather:**

High pressure will create very hot and dry conditions this week with record highs likely by Friday. Thunderstorms are possible along the Sierra crest beginning Friday afternoon and evening with the potential for thunderstorm activity to increase this weekend and early next week.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

A warming trend remains on track, peaking on Thursday. Increasing high clouds and slightly cooler temperatures are expected late in the week lasting into the weekend. Warmer temperatures are expected next week.

### **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:**

#### **Sacramento Weather:**

Warming trend begins today bringing another round of hot weather, peaking Thursday and Friday. Possible shower and thunderstorm activity Friday through the middle of next week, focused over the mountains but with some potentially spreading into the valley.

#### **Hanford Weather:**

High pressure will return for the latter part of the week, and temperatures will once again reach at least several degrees above average. Mid-level moisture will move into the region from the southeast and bring a slight chance for showers and thunderstorms over the high country of the Sierra Nevada beginning Friday and continue through the weekend

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

#### **Los Angeles Weather:**

High temperatures will remain above normal across inland areas with cool and mild conditions along the coastal areas through Friday. A change in the weather pattern will begin this weekend as a surge of monsoonal moisture will move into the region bringing humid and warm conditions with periods of showers and possible thunderstorms for interior locations. A few showers could fall across coast and valleys as well next week.

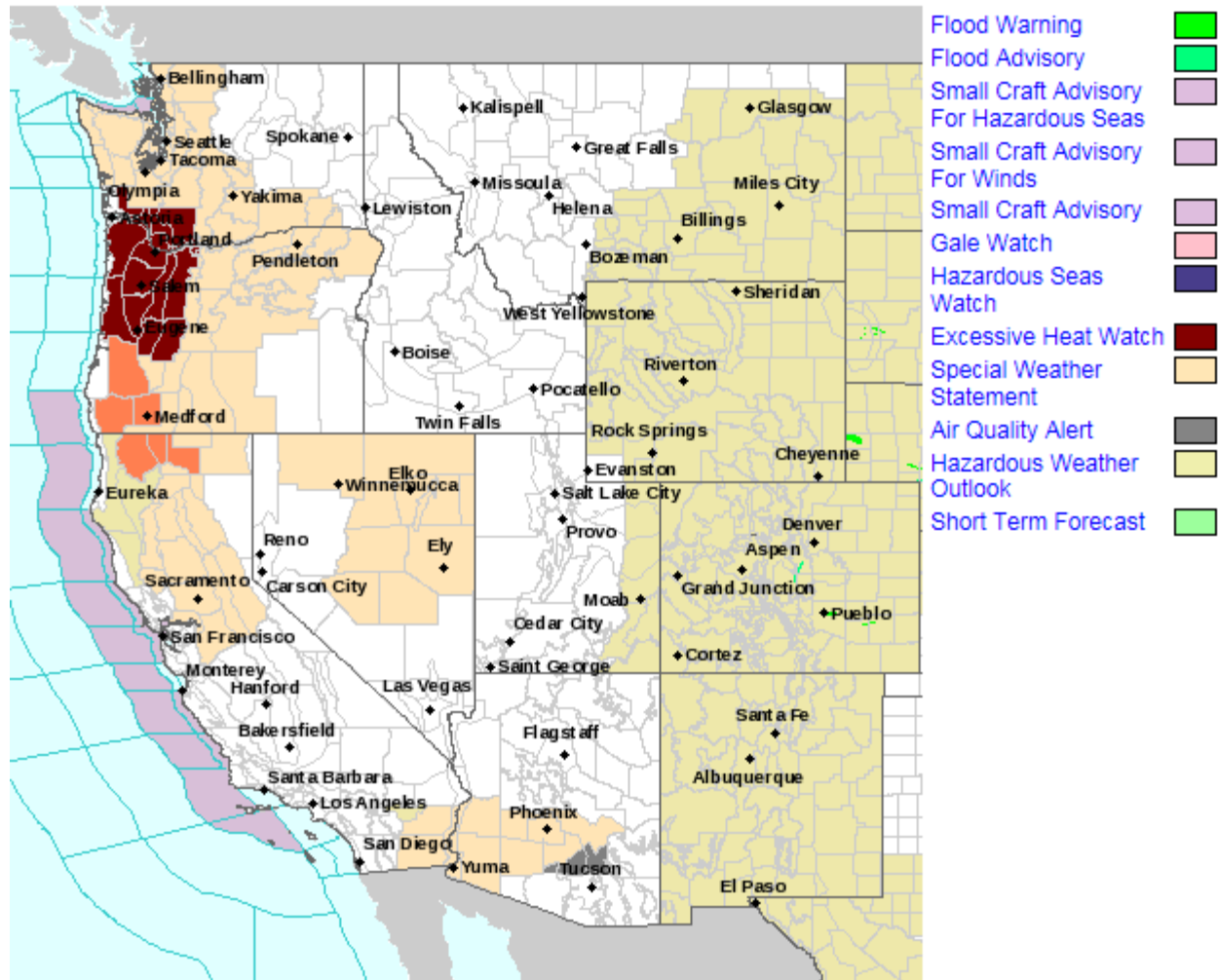
#### **Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

High pressure will keep the weather fair and dry much of this week, with above normal daytime temperatures. Marine clouds will still visit the coastal areas each night, and should increase through the week as the marine layer deepens slightly. Starting this weekend through at mid-next week, monsoonal moisture will overspread the region from the southeast, increasing clouds and humidity, and bringing a chance for mainly afternoon and evening showers and thunderstorms, mainly over the mountains and deserts.

#### **Southeast California Weather:**

Above normal temperatures will persist across the region through much of the upcoming week, but will retreat from the record-tying values seen last week. Moisture will begin to move into the area from Mexico, increasing chances of mountain showers and thunderstorms beginning today and heading into the weekend. Thunderstorms will bring the threat of strong gusty winds and potential for blowing dust to the Arizona deserts for the rest of the work week. An uptick in storm activity area wide is possible by the late weekend into early next week.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



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# FIRE ACTIVITY



## Preparedness Levels

### **National Preparedness Level 3**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

### Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

# **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Coastal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur on a weekly basis.

# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 57 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 25 Counties: El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 11 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Porterville (Tulare County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



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